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SUBJ: GUINEAN PRIME MINISTER VISITS UAE

REF: KUWAIT 1782

SUMMARY: CONTINUING HIS TOUR OF GULF GUINEAN PRIMIN VISITED UAE MAY 6-9. ALTHOUGH NO DEFINITE AGREEMENTS RESULTED, JOINT COMMUNIQUE STRESSED STRENGTHENING OF ECONOMIC COOPERATION BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES IN NEAR FUTURE.

1. AS PART OF THE GULF TOUR, GUINEAN PRIMIN, DR. LOUIS LANSANA BEAVOGUI, WITH SIX-MAN DELEGATION MADE OFFICIAL VISIT TO UAE MAY 6-9. DURING HIS VISIT BEAVOGUI MET WITH UAE PRES SHAIKH ZAYID, VP SHAIKH RASHID, PRIMIN SHAIKH MAKTOUM AND OTHER GOVT OFFICIALS.

2. THE JOINT COMMUNIQUE ISSUED MAY 9 WELCOMED GUINEAN PROPOSAL
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TO DEVELOP TECHNICAL AND ECONOMIC RELATIONS BETWEEN TWO

STATES AND STATED THAT JOINT TECHNICAL COMMITTEES MET TO STUDY POSSIBLE FIELDS OF COOPERATION BETWEEN UAE AND GUINEA.

3. IT IS EXPECTED THAT A DELEGATION FROM THE ABU DHABI FUND FOR ARAB ECON DEVELOPMENT WILL VISIT GUINEA SOON TO STUDY ITS DEVELOPMENT NEEDS AND INVESTIGATE POSSIBLE JOINT ECONOMIC AND INDUSTRIAL PROJECTS TO STRENGTHEN COOPERATION BETWEEN TWO STATES.

4. ON POLITICAL SIDE, JOINT COMMUNIQUE EXPRESSED UAE'S APPRECIATION OF STAND TAKEN BY GUINEA TOWARDS THE ARAB CAUSE; IT NOTED THAT GUINEA HAS FULLY SUPPORTED OF ARAB POLICIES IN MIDDLE EAST BY DEMANDING ISRAELI WITHDRAWAL FROM ALL OCCUPIED TERRITORIES AND RESTORATION OF PALESTINIAN RIGHTS. ON OTHER HAND, UAE PUBLICLY PROCLAIMED ITS SUPPORT TO AFRICAN PEOPLE'S STRUGGLE FOR LIBERATION & INDEPENDENCE & THEIR FIGHT AGAINST RACIAL DISCRIMINATION AND COLONIALISM.

5. UAE PRIMIN SHAIKH MAKTOUM ACCEPTED INVITATION TO VISIT GUINEA BUT NO DATE WAS SET.
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